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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In claim 10 (at column 7, line 14), please delete the phrase, "claim wherein" and replace with the phrase --claim 8, wherein--.

In claim 11 (at column 7, line 22), please delete the phrase, "claim wherein" and replace with the phrase --claim 8, wherein--.

In claim 12 (at column 7, line 26), please delete the phrase, "claim wherein" and replace with the phrase --claim 8, wherein--.

In claim 13 (at column 7, line 31), please delete the phrase, "claim wherein" and replace with the phrase -- claim 8, wherein--.

In claim 13 (at column 7, line 42), please delete the equation, "S<sub>H</sub>S<sub>R</sub>S<sub>H</sub>" and replace with the equation  $--S_H \ge S_R \ge S_H --$ .

In claim 15 (at column 8, line 6), please delete the word, "racket" and replace with the phrase -- packet --.

In claim 17 (at column 8, line 28), please delete the phrase, "layer header" and replace with the phrase -- layer 4 header--.

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